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RAILROAD MELANGE

Shops and Round House Will Be Ready for Use About August First

Will Employ Between Four and Five Hundred Men

Mr. Hawks, General Superintendent of the Southwestern Railroad, arrived here in his private car "Cloudercroft," and spent a few

work the company is compelled to put in some temporary shops and the materials for these are arriving daily by the car load. The shop force has been more than doubled in the past three days and men are being continually employed. The switch engines are now kept

The force of the Rock Island depot has been increased by ten men. Several changes have also been made, the most important being V. S. Devor, Agt.; W. C. Detar, Chief Clerk and F. H. Donahue, Cashier.

Change Time and Then Go Ahead

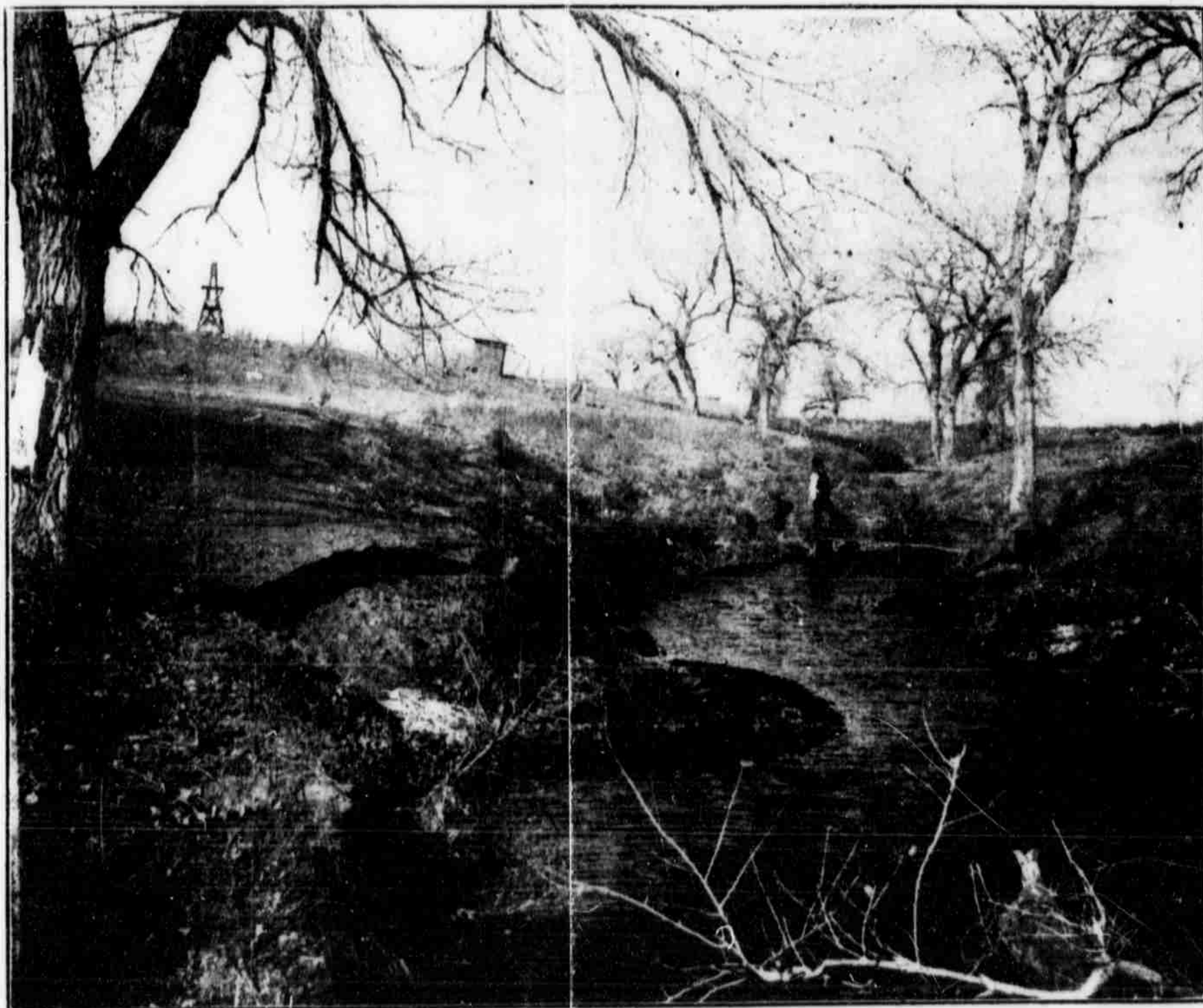
Since the Southwestern has taken over everything here in a railroad way and has adopted their own time which is one hour slower than Rock Island, it appears to

TELEPHONE SYSTEM STRETCHING MORE CABLE

The Tucumcari Telephone Company is stretching 3000 feet more of cable in order to handle an increasing business. They have been behind with orders for three or four months and the demand for phones is greater now than at any previous time.

Frank Mattison has returned from Alamogordo where he has been for the past few days on business.

F. A. Manzanarez and baby and Rebecca Henriques of Las Vegas, sister of Benito Baca of this city, spent a few days here this week



Water Supply for Tucumcari Water Works System, 3 Miles West of Town. Will Furnish 200,000 Gallons a Day

days to look after all the changes of the new railroad division.

Rapid progress is being made on the new fifteen-stall round house and the machine shops now under construction. The machine shops, which will give employment to some four hundred men, will be completed by August 1st, but on account of the immense amount of

busy in the yards and two new ones are on the way.

On account of the change of the railroad division two hundred men will make Tucumcari their residence hereafter.

Many miles of track have just been laid and a large force of men are now working to fill them in as quickly as possible,

this paper that the city must change with it. The churches have authorized us to announce that their change goes into effect tomorrow. The postoffice and the banks have also informed us that they are changing to Southwestern time. The merchants are changing also. The News office will change Monday.

Simpson & Campbell are building at present, a new 2 story 50 ft. front store building on Main street.

Work on Water Works System Begun

Work on the new city water works has already begun. The main source of supply will be at the Blue Holes where 200,000 gallons of water will be supplied daily. Beside this a large well is to be bored here in the city to be used in case of emergency. The cost of the water works will amount to \$50,000.00.